

Age-Related Ocular Diseases

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- Glaucomas
- Macular Degeneration
- Vascular Diseases

Glaucomas

- Optic nerve atrophy caused by elevated pressure
- Who's at risk?
- Glaucomas????

Glaucomas

■ Primary Open Angle Glaucoma

- Symptoms
- Treatment
- Prognosis

■ Narrow Angle Glaucoma

- Symptoms
- Treatment
- Prognosis

Glaucomas

- All the others
 - Congenital
 - Vascular disease
 - Steroids
 - Injury, inflammation

Glaucomas

- Prognosis

- What does your patient need?

- Increased contrast
- Increased lighting
- Expanded visual field

Age Related Macular Degeneration

- Dry Macular Degeneration

- Signs and symptoms
- Treatment

- Wet macular degeneration

- Signs and symptoms
- Treatment

- Prognosis

Age Related Macular Degeneration

- What does your patient need?
 - Increased lighting
 - Magnification
 - Increased Contrast

Vascular Diseases

- Diabetic Retinopathy
 - Non-proliferative vs. Proliferative
 - Signs and symptoms
 - Treatment
- Vein Occlusions
 - Non-proliferative vs. proliferative
 - Signs and symptoms
 - Treatment
- Prognosis

Vascular Diseases

- What does your patient need?
 - Increased contrast
 - Increased magnification
 - Education

Cataracts

- Can it really cause low vision?
- What does your patient need?

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